

Explosive Detector Dog Certification

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Dog Sample Breed Belgian Malinois Dog Whelped 21 May 2000
 (whelping date is required for computer records, if unknown enter "best guess" date)

Handler Sample DOB _____ SSN _____

Department _____

Full Address _____

Contact: Work _____ Cell _____ Email _____

Total Exam grade points 64 / 29 = Overall rating of 2.32 (B) Commendable

Total Indication points 20 / 11 = Indication rating of 1.82 (B) Commendable

Total Searching points 21 / 9 = Searching rating of 2.34 (B) Commendable

Total Handler points 23 / 9 = Handler rating of 2.56 (C) Typical

Odors Identified Odor #1, Odor #2, etc.

Judge(s) Sample

Explanation Evaluation Criteria

Superior Performance.....Flawless and exemplary.....Letter Grade (A)
 Commendable Performance...Notably skillful display.....Letter Grade (B)
 Typical Performance.....Comparable to veteran Explo Dog.....Letter Grade (C)
 Suitable Performance.....Consistent with deployment needs.....Letter Grade (D)
 Improvement Needed.....Falls below streetworthy performance.....Letter Grade (I)
 Unskilled Performance.....Little or no skill displayed.....Letter Grade (U)

Grading Scale or Increments

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Grading Curve

1.00-1.74 = Superior Performance, Flawless and exemplary.....Letter Grade (A)
 1.75-2.49 = Commendable Performance, Notably skillful display.....Letter Grade (B)
 2.50-3.24 = Typical Performance, Comparable to veteran Explo Dog.....Letter Grade (C)
 3.25-4.00 = Suitable Performance, Consistent with deployment needs....Letter Grade (D)
 4.01-5.00 = Improvement Needed, Falls below streetworthy performance..Letter Grade (I)
 5.01-6.00 = Unskilled Performance, Little or no skill displayed.....Letter Grade (U)

See Other Side for Scenario Evaluations

Dog Sample Handler Sample Dept _____ Date _____**Each Scenario MUST be Passed on its own Merits - No False Indications are allowed**

1. Locate/Indicate two separate simulated IED's on the exterior of a large transport vehicle. A diversion will also be placed within the search area.
 Searching Skill 3 Comments (if any) _____
 Indication #1 3 Odor #1 XXX _____
 Indication #2 2 Odor #2 XXX _____
 Handler Skill 3 Comments (if any) _____
 Name of Judge Sample
2. Locate/Indicate one simulated IED on the interior of a large transport vehicle. A diversion will also be placed within the search area.
 Searching Skill 2 Comments (if any) Very noticeable head check _____
 Indication #1 3 Odor #1 _____
 Diversion Pass Fail Type of Diversion Tennis balls under seat _____
 Handler Skill 3 Comments (if any) _____
 Name of Judge Sample
3. Locate/Indicate one simulated IED in a workplace environment. A diversion will also be placed within the search area.
 Searching Skill 3 Comments (if any) _____
 Indication #1 1 Odor #1 XXX _____
 Diversion Pass Fail Type of Diversion Hamburger in lunch box _____
 Handler Skill 2 Comments (if any) Very observant, covered areas well _____
 Name of Judge Sample
4. Locate/Indicate one simulated IED among a series of six vehicles at an event point of entry.
 Searching Skill 2 Comments (if any) quickly crawled under vehicle _____
 Indication #1 2 Odor #1 XXX _____
 Handler Skill 3 Comments (if any) _____
 Name of Judge Sample
5. Locate/Indicate one stash of buried explosives.
 Searching Skill 3 Comments (if any) _____
 Indication #1 2 Odor #1 XXX _____
 Diversion Pass Fail Type of Diversion Duct tape _____
 Handler Skill 2 Comments (if any) Not fooled by diversion sniffing _____
 Name of Judge Sample
6. Locate/Indicate a firearm and also ammunition which have been hidden separately in an exterior search area.
 Searching Skill 2 Comments (if any) very responsive to Handler _____
 Indication Gun 1 Comments Immediate Indication, focused stare _____
 Indication Ammo 1 Comments Immediate Indication, focused stare _____
 Diversion Pass Fail Type of Diversion PVC pipe _____
 Handler Skill 2 Comments (if any) Covered area very efficiently _____
 Name of Judge Sample
7. Locate/Indicate one simulated IED on the exterior of a large building.
 Searching Skill 2 Comments (if any) Very focused & responsive _____
 Indication #1 3 Odor #1 XXX _____
 Diversion Pass Fail Type of Diversion Electrician tape _____
 Handler Skill 3 Comments (if any) _____
 Name of Judge Sample
8. Locate/Indicate one simulated IED on the interior of a large building.
 Searching Skill 2 Comments (if any) Very focused & responsive _____
 Indication #1 1 Odor #1 XXX _____
 Handler Skill 3 Comments (if any) _____
 Name of Judge Sample
9. Locate/Indicate one simulated IED during a VIP sweep.
 Searching Skill 2 Comments (if any) Very agile around sound equipment _____
 Indication #1 1 Odor #1 XXX _____
 Handler Skill 2 Comments (if any) Very careful around stage equipment _____
 Name of Judge Sample

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 Indication #2 _____ Odor #2 _____
 Handler Skill _____ Comments (if any) _____
 Name of Judge _____
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 Handler Skill _____ Comments (if any) _____
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 Name of Judge _____
7. Locate/Indicate one simulated IED on the exterior of a large building.
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 Indication #1 _____ Odor #1 _____
 Diversion Pass Fail _____ Type of Diversion _____
 Handler Skill _____ Comments (if any) _____
 Name of Judge _____
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 Searching Skill _____ Comments (if any) _____
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